

PATENT
Atty. Dkt. No. GBL046

REMARKS

This is intended as a full and complete response to the Office Action mailed November 29, 2005. As set forth in the Office Action, claims 1-24 stand provisionally rejected on the grounds of the judicially-created obviousness-type double patenting as being unpatentable over claims 1-2, 5-12, 24-25, 28-29, 33-38 of copending U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/464,069, filed June 17, 2003.

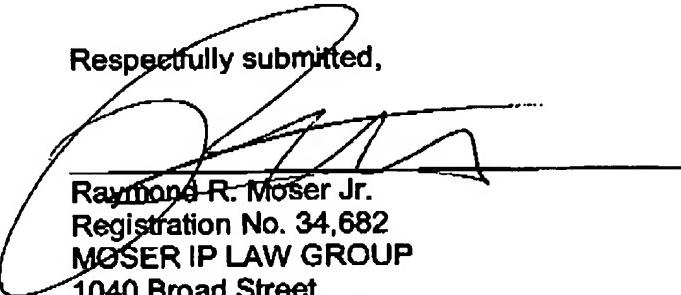
The rejection is respectfully traversed. To this end, the Applicants file herewith a Terminal Disclaimer under 37 C.F.R. § 1.321(c). As such, the Applicants respectfully request that the obviousness-type double patenting rejection be withdrawn.

CONCLUSION

Having addressed the issues set out in the Office Action, the Applicants respectfully submit that the claims are in condition for allowance and respectfully request that the claims be allowed.

If, however, the Examiner believes that there are any unresolved issues requiring adverse final action in any of the claims now pending in the application, it is requested that the Examiner telephone Mr. Raymond R. Moser Jr., Esq. at (732) 935-7100 so that appropriate arrangements can be made for resolving such issues as expeditiously as possible.

Respectfully submitted,


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